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Statewide Conference

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## What is NEOP?

The Healthy, Hunger-Free Kids Act of 2010 directed USDA to develop new regulations that transform SNAP-Ed into a Nutrition Education and Obesity Prevention (NEOP) grant program. In addition to a new focus on obesity, it adds allowances for community and public health approaches.

## Who Should Attend

All *Network* partners and organizations involved or interested in obesity prevention are encouraged to attend, including:

- *Network* contractors and partners
- Non-funded partners
- Other organizations having similar goals and objectives, regardless of funding source
- State and Federal agencies that address nutrition, obesity, physical activity, agriculture or food insecurity

## Location

Sacramento Convention Center

## Click Here for Conference Website!

[Network—CA Statewide  
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## FREE Registration Begins December, 2012

Registration includes admission to all plenary, breakout and poster sessions. All meals will be “on your own” with many nearby restaurants offering healthy food choices and discounts.

## Lodging

For the special Conference rate of \$84.00 single and \$134.00 double, call the Sheraton Grand at (916) 447-1700 and mention the *Network* Statewide Conference.

Or click here for online reservations:

[Network Statewide Conference Hotel  
Reservations](#)

## CEUs will be offered through CSU, Sacramento, College of Continuing Education

**GOING GREEN**—This year’s Conference will continue to expand its efforts to incorporate environmentally respectful practices.

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